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AMENDED RESPONSE A

Dear Madam:

Applicant respectfully requests that this amendment be entered to correct two typographical errors in the first paragraph of the Remarks section of Response A. The second sentence of the first paragraph should read "Group I includes "device" claims 1-22, 24-25, 33-36, and 39 while Group II includes "method" claims 23, 26-31, and 37-38." The third sentence of the first paragraph should read "Applicant elects "device" claims 1-22 and 33-36 in Group I without traverse."

Applicant sincerely apologizes for any confusion that may have been caused.

Respectfully submitted,

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